

# N I C O C O N T I

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## PROFILE:

“Through a rigorous yet playful approach to experiment he has found new ways to express his ideas. His interest is to find a personal language in clay that uses both analogue and digital technologies in its expression, thinking through process and material, to create some very particular work, with unique qualities. He has a refreshing attitude, flexibility, humour and enthusiasm and there is something inspirational and refreshing in his outlook.” \*

## EDUCATION:

2017 - 2019 Royal College of Art / Ceramics & Glass / Masters in Arts and Humanities

2014 - 2016 MCAST Art and Design / Bachelor (Honours) of Art in Fine Art

## EXHIBITIONS:

2019 Royal College of Art / Degree Show (London)

2019 *Material Statements* (London)

2019 *Miscellany* / Home of Preston Fitzgerald (London)

2018 Royal College of Art / WIP Show (London)

2018 *Beneath the Stats: The Beach* (London)

2017 Royal College of Art / WIP Show (London)

2017 *Lanċa Ġejja : Malta, Past and Present* (Brussels)

2016 MACST End of Year Exhibition / *Leave a Mark* (Malta)

2015 MCAST End of Year Exhibition / *#TIKKA* (Malta)

2014 Design Week Festival (Malta)

2014 Bieganski Art Festival / Commemoration of WWI (Malta)

## EXPERIENCES:

2019 Presented work to HRH, the Prince of Wales at the RCA

2016 European Vocational Skill Week / Participant, Speaker and Awardee

2015 CHOGM Common Purpose / Young leadership programme

## AWARDS:

2018 Royal Over-Seas League Trophy Competition

2018 Charlotte Fraser Award

2017 Endeavour Scholarship Awardee

2016 First Place / Cedefop Photo Award Competition

2016 MCAST Award / Outstanding Performance

## PUBLICATIONS:

2019 *Crafts Magazine* / The Next Generation #280

2019 *Evening Standard Homes & Property* / Catch them while you can / 26 June

2018 *Emerging Potters* #10

2016 *Encore Magazine* #4

\* Taken from the letter of recommendation by Senior Tutor in Ceramics & Glass at the Royal College of Art, Felicity Aylieff.